

THE WEATHER TODAY
Increasing clouds followed by
snow Monday; Tuesday snow or rain
on coast, and snow in interior; stormy
clearing Wednesday.

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SLEMP APPEARS
BEFORE LEASE
INQUIRY TODAY

Wheeler Will Renew Efforts to
Force Probe of Daugherty's
Administration—McLean
Subpoenaed

WANTS TELEGRAMS

Committee Seeks to Learn of Com-
munications by Government
Officials With Fall and
Others Involved

Washington, Feb. 24. — The public hearings in the oil scandal will be resumed tomorrow by the senate committee, which will renew efforts in the senate to force a full investigation of the administration of Attorney General Daugherty.

The chief law officer of the administration is again under fire at the end of the capitol. C. Bascom Slemp, secretary to President Coolidge, will be before the oil committee as the chief witness in a new line of inquiry.

The purpose in calling Mr. Slemp is to establish whether administration officials have had any communication with Albert B. Fall or others involved in the oil scandal since just prior to the trip of Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana, to Palm Beach to take the testimony of Eugene B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post, regarding his statement that he loaned Fall \$100,000.

Want Copies of Telegrams.

Washington managers of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies have been subpoenaed for tomorrow with instructions to bring to the committee copies of any telegrams that may have been sent by individual members of the oil committee or by any government official to Fall or McLean at Palm Beach or to the former interior secretary while he was at New Orleans.

Specifically the committee will require the production of copies of any messages sent to Fall or McLean at the Florida resort between December 20, 1923, and January 20, 1924. It also desires to know whether there was any communication by senators or others in official place with Fall while he was at New Orleans.

formed the former secretary that it was his purpose to tell the oil committee of the loan of \$100,000 which he made to Fall before the lease of naval reserves No. 1 in California.

Officials of the Federal American and Commercial National banks of Washington are subpoenaed for appearance before the committee tomorrow for questioning as to the records of McLean's accounts in those banks. The Washington publisher told Senator Walsh at Palm Beach that he had drawn checks for \$100,000 on one or the other of these banks payable to the order of Fall but that they had been returned to him un cashed.

Wheeler to Press for Daugherty Probe

After the examination of these witnesses the committee hopes to hear from its expert accountants who have been examining the books of Harry Payne Whitney, New York financier, and J. P. Hendard and company, New York stock brokers, in an effort to run down a report that the attorney general and other administration officials have had transactions with the consolidated oil stock.

Further procedure of the committee will be dependent upon the reports which are received from these accountants.

Without waiting the result of the accountants' examination, Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, will press for adoption by the senate of his resolution calling for an investigation of the administration of the attorney general.

The resolution proposing this inquiry will be reported tomorrow by the senate audit committee and Senator Wheeler said tonight he would ask unanimous consent for its immediate consideration. An objection by a single senator would force its passage to a vote.

FOUR MEN BURNED TO DEATH
IN PITTSBURGH; TWO JUMP

Pittsburgh, Feb. 24. — Four men were burned to death in a fire which started in a three-family dwelling in the city here, early today. Two others were injured, one of whom is expected to die.

The fire broke out in the rear of the building, which was a three-story structure. It was caused by a gas stove in the kitchen. The fire spread rapidly, and the firemen arrived too late to save the four men who were found dead in the building.

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SENATE TO HEAR
OIL STORY; HOUSE
TO PASS TAX BILL

Lower Body to Take Up Naval
Appropriations or Muscle
Shanks Next

REVENUE VOTE END OF WEEK

Senators to Discuss Supply Bill,
Also—Daugherty Probe
to Intrude

WOMAN KILLS TWO
WHO ATTACK HOME

Said to Have Made Demands for
Hand and Roomer Leave Home
—Third Man Escapes

Cleveland, Feb. 24. — Two alleged blackmailers were shot and killed in a pistol battle with Mrs. Nettie Ansell, 23, tonight. A third man, alleged to have been implicated in the plot, escaped.

According to the story, Mrs. Ansell told the police, the three men came to her home Thursday night and demanded money from her father, also that her husband leave town and that two roomers be forced to leave her home. They declared they would return tonight to see that the demands were carried out.

Seeing the men loitering about a corner near her home tonight, Mrs. Ansell barricaded the doors and windows, and armed herself with three revolvers and after sending her mother, father, and their seven children upstairs, extinguished the light. Another sister, Ruth, 17, remained with Mrs. Ansell.

Two Fatally Shot.

Shortly afterward, there was a knock on the front door. Simultaneously a shot rang in the side window. They were followed by others. Mrs. Ansell said, before she could return the fire. After several shots through the window she fired through the door where one of the men was pounding. Then the shooting from the outside ceased.

Police, summoned by terrified neighbors, found Mike Marino, 35, barely alive on the sidewalk in front of the house. (Belle Tower 25, was found lying in the front yard of his home, three doors away. Both died enroute to a hospital. On the ground beside each of the men police found a revolver from which several shots had been fired.

HAYWARD OPPOSES
SMITH'S SPEECH

Says Governor Failed to Tell Full
Story of Increased Arrests
in Liquor Cases

Schenectady, Feb. 24. — Colonel William Hayward, United States district attorney for the southern district of New York, attacked Governor Smith's attitude at the recent state prohibition enforcement conference in Schenectady tonight. Colonel Hayward said:

"The governor, who of course spoke last at the conference with no opportunity to anyone for rebuttal, placed most of the blame for non-enforcement of prohibition on the county attorneys and county officials, especially in the counties along the Canadian border. He praised the state constables for arresting more rum runners, along the border, the six months after the repeal of the Mulan-Gage law than the six months before, omitting to remind his auditors, however, that the repeal was in the spring, the six months before being for the most part in the dead of winter. There were also more fish caught, likely enough, when the streams were not frozen over."

NAVY STILL HOPES
FOR POLAR FLIGHT

Ready to Rush Plans, If Coolidge
Gives Word—Congress Can
Not Act in Time

Washington, Feb. 24. — The navy is still anxious to make the polar flight with the Shenandoah this summer and in the event permission is finally given, it is prepared to rush to completion plans for the journey which were ordered suspended by President Harding.

President Coolidge pending the development of the attitude of congress.

DOCK WORKERS EXPECTED
TO RESUME WORK TUESDAY

(By the Associated Press)

London, Feb. 24. — There seems every prospect tonight that the strike of the dock workers will be settled tomorrow and that work in the ports will be resumed on Tuesday. Mass meetings of dockers were held tonight at all the ports in the British Isles to discuss the terms of settlement accepted by their delegates in conference with the employers.

DELEGATES FAVOR COOLIDGE

Jamestown, Feb. 24. — Former Senator Albert T. Fancher of Salem and Oscar A. Lanna of Jamestown have been designated as the delegates to the Republican national convention from the 42nd congressional district, subject to the approval of the primary on April 1. The alternate delegates are Mrs. Eliza J. Blazer of Jamestown and Mrs. J. W. Lanna of Jamestown.

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Sports of 1924

By FEG MURRAY

FAMOUS GUYS WHO GOLF

No. 4 BOB EDGREN



Thus Are the Mighty Fallen

When you and I were young, Mag-
ic, back in 1894, Bob Edgren used
to throw the 16-lb hammer further
than anyone else. He jumped from
one athletic event to another, winning
medals and glory and breaking re-
cords in those throwing, tumbling,
boxing, and speedboat racing, but as
for playing golf—pooh, pooh! He
wouldn't stoop to that! One day his
fellow verticalist, Vic Forsythe, induc-
ed him to try to drive a golf ball at
the Havana Country club in Cuba.

"JAY WALKERS" WOULD BE RESTRAINED BY STATUTE

(By the Associated Press)
Albany, Feb. 24.—The "jay-walk-
er" element of pedestrians is made
the target of a bill introduced in the
legislature Friday by Assemblyman
West Lord, Republican, of Chenango,
designed to regulate the movement of
pedestrians who walk along streets and
highways.

REARVIEW MIRROR RUNS TRAINS

Bridgeport, Conn., Feb. 24.—
Night service on the New York divi-
sion of the New Haven railroad is
now being entirely operated by elec-
tricity, with the exception of a few
trains, it was announced by execu-
tives of the company Friday. Passenger
service is being about 90 per cent
electrically operated and after the
receipt in March of the last of 15
locomotives, electrical operation will
become complete between New York
and Bridgeport, except on days of
unusually heavy travel.

LOUIS W. HILL RETIRES AS BURLINGTON BOARD MEMBER

(By the Associated Press)
New York, Feb. 24.—Louis W.
Hill, chairman of the Great Northern
Railway, has retired as a member of
the board of directors and executive
committee of the Chicago, Burlington
& Quincy Railroad company, and has
been succeeded by Vice President
Charles O. Jenks of the Great North-
ern.

The cause of Mr. Hill's resignation
was not announced at the meeting of
the directors Thursday, but it was
said by those who are close to the
Great Northern railroad magnate that
his health was not such as to justify
the continued shouldering of all his
railroad responsibilities.

Discovery of a Printing Ink Which Cannot Be Bleached

Ithaca, Feb. 24.—Discovery of a
printing ink which cannot be bleached
has been announced by Professor
W. H. Orndorff of the Cornell univer-
sity chemistry department.
Professor Orndorff has worked for
more than two years in an effort to
discover ingredients which would
meet certain requirements, one of
which was the production of a non-
removable ink for voiding checks. The
new ink, Professor Orndorff said, will
become a brilliant red when bleach-
ing agents are applied.

Weds After Getting Divorced

Fort Huron, Mich.—Within a few
minutes after he had obtained a di-
vorce, Otto Harren, of Algona, took
a license to wed Mahel Harren, also
of Algona. Harren's wife did not
contest the divorce proceedings.

One Man's Job

When you do it yourself, you are
not finding with anyone as to how it
is to be done.

James of Life

Many a married man feels that the
jaws of death are preferable to the
jaws of life.

ADDED YEARS TO HER LIFE

"After using one bottle of Pure
Fruit Tonic, I can say with con-
fidence that I have added years to
my life." Write Mrs. A. E. Williams,
235 E. Main St., Portland, Me.

Do You Want to Live a Healthier Life?

Are you troubled by a chronic
cough? Do you want to enjoy the
bracing breeze of a healthy life? Try
Pure Fruit Tonic. It will
cure your cough and give you a
new lease on life. It is a tonic
that builds up the system and
gives you the strength and energy
you need for a healthy life.

Charles Swoboda

150 MAIN STREET

THREE MONTHS OF OLYMPICS

Competitions at Paris to Commence
Part of May, June and July—
Last Athletic Week from July 1
to July 24.

(By the Associated Press)

Paris, Feb. 24.—Competitions in
the eighth Olympic games in Paris
will occupy the greatest part
of May, June and July, according to
the revised schedule just published by
the French Olympic committee.

Beginning in May with the Rugby
and Association football trials, the cul-
minating point of the Olympic will
come with the great athletic week,
July 1 to 24.

With the winter sports at Chamonix
over, the most Olympic competition
will come with Rugby football, from
May 3 to 10 and with soccer football
from May 10 to June 9. These
matches will take place in the new
Colombes stadium for the semi-finals
and finals, the elimination trials hav-
ing been held at Puteaux Stadium,
the Velodrome Paroles Princes, the
Buffalo and Hergeyres Stadium.

Then will come the ceremonial open-
ing of the games, which will be pre-
ceded by a festival commemorating
the thirtieth anniversary of the res-
umption of the Olympiad. The festi-
val will be celebrated June 12. Two
ceremonies take place in the Notre Dame
Cathedral in the morning and the other
in the evening at the Sorbonne, will
be the main features of the day. The
following day a gala performance will
be given at the Opera.

The delegates from the Federations
of Sports and Athletics represented at
the games, after having been officially
received by President Millerand at the
Elysee on July 3, will be the guests of
the French Olympic committee at a
banquet.

Finally at 2 o'clock in the after-
noon of July 5, the solemn ceremony
of the official opening of the games
will take place at the Colombes sta-
dium.

From that day until July 27, the
various Olympic games will be con-
tested, while numerous congresses of
sporting federations will be held.

The revised schedule of games fol-
lows:

Athletic, Colombes stadium, July 5
to 12;
Pentathlon, Colombes stadium, July
12 to 17;
Law-tennis, Colombes stadium,
July 12 to 20;
Gymnastics, Colombes stadium, July
17 to 23;

Equestrian games, Colombes Sta-
dium, July 21 to 27.

Swimming competitions will be held
at the new stadium of the Porte des
Tourelles from July 17 to 25.

The polo games are scheduled for
the Bois de Boulogne and Saint Cloud
from June 18 to July 4.

The shooting competitions will take
place as follows: the deer-hunting
shoot at Satory; clay pigeon shooting
at Long-la-Meunerie; long distance
target shooting at Chalon and shorter
distances at Rhodan, from June 21 to
June 29.

Rowing races will be held at Argen-
teuil on the Seine river, about one mile
from the Colombes stadium, from July
12 to July 17.

For the "Sport de Combat," as the
French committee terms boxing, wrest-
ling, weight-lifting, bar-bell and fenc-
ing, the use of the Cirque de Paris, in
the center of the city, has been chosen.

The dates are:

Greco-Roman wrestling, July 6 to
July 9;
Catch-as-catch-can, July 10 to 12;
Boxing, July 15 to 18;
Weight, July 21 to 24;
Fencing, July 20 to 27.

DEDICATE AUDITORIUM TO DEAD WORLD WAR HEROES

Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 24.—The
million dollar auditorium, erected
here in honor of the soldiers and sail-
ors who gave their lives in the world
war was thrown open and dedicated
Friday with elaborate ceremonies.

Dedictory speeches were made by
Major General James G. Harbord,
Governor Austin Peay, Tennessee,
Senator K. D. McKellar, General
Smalley Butler, Rear Admiral W. R.
Shoemaker, and R. L. Manning, South
Carolina.

Boy Loses Hand While Feeding Bear in Zoo

New York.—When little Ralph
Thomas offered a peanut to a polar
bear in the zoo here, the huge animal
reared off the boy's hand. The boy's
father lifted him to the bear's cage
double warning that the animal was
treacherous and would seek to kill if
anyone came within reach.

Weds After Getting Divorced

Fort Huron, Mich.—Within a few
minutes after he had obtained a di-
vorce, Otto Harren, of Algona, took
a license to wed Mahel Harren, also
of Algona. Harren's wife did not
contest the divorce proceedings.

One Man's Job

When you do it yourself, you are
not finding with anyone as to how it
is to be done.

James of Life

Many a married man feels that the
jaws of death are preferable to the
jaws of life.

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new lease on life. It is a tonic
that builds up the system and
gives you the strength and energy
you need for a healthy life.

U.S. SAVANTS WIN CALENDAR ROW

Earliest Date in the New World
History is August 6,
615 B. C.

Cambridge, Mass.—The earliest
dates in New World history are Au-
gust 6, 615 B. C., and December 10,
150 B. C., by the present system of
marking time, the Peabody Museum
of Harvard university announced in
making public the final solution of the
chronology of Mayan dates.

This solution, made possible by the
studies of Dr. H. J. Shinden of the
museum, is hailed as a distinct vic-
tory for the American school of re-
search in the records of the ancient
inhabitants of Central America, since
it follows the lines of approach laid
down by several scientists of the
United States in contradistinction to
the basic theories of the German,
French and Spanish savants.

"These positive and perfectly de-
fined points in chronology probably
fell within the working years of one
of the world's first scientists, the un-
known mathematical and astronomical
genius who invented the Central Amer-
ican calendar and established the
Mayan era," the museum's announce-
ment says.

Spaniards Destroyed Books.
"Actually the numerous dates on
the monuments of the great Mayan
civilization in Yucatan and adjacent
territory are counted from a begin-
ning, day which corresponds to October 14,
5578 B. C., but this beginning day was
reached by putting seven cycles of
144,000 days each for the past of the
world before the historical first day
of the numerical count."

"This historical first day was Au-
gust 6, 615 B. C. At this time a
numerical record of elapsed days was
begun, and in the years that followed
various astronomical events were put
down as they happened, a procedure
which soon gave a picture of time
adequate for the perfection of a cal-
endarial machine."

"In the second date (December 10,
150 B. C.), the perfected calendar of
the Mayas was formally inaugurated,
according to an inscription at the
ruined Mayan city of Copan in west-
ern Honduras. This perfected calen-
dar functioned without the loss of a
single day for 2,000 years only to
break down and pass out of use when
Mayan books were destroyed by the
Spanish conquistadors in Yucatan in A.
D. 1561."

Discovery of the key to the ancient
calendar of the Central American In-
dians reveals that surprising intellec-
tual power existed in the western world
before the coming of Columbus, the re-
port declares, and adds:

Doctor Spinden Solved Mystery.

"The inauguration of the perfected
Mayan calendar on December 10, 150
B. C., means the invention before this
date of a symbol for zero—or comple-
tion, according to the Mayan mind—as
well as figures for entire numbers. It
means place value notation in the
writing of numbers."

"Now place value notation was un-
known to the Greeks and the Romans,
and its introduction into western Eu-
rope was accomplished by the Arabs.
This was the Arabic decimal system
upon which modern mathematics de-
pend."

"The Mayan system was arranged
on a modified base of twenty and there-
fore does not exactly parallel the Ar-
abic system. The inauguration of the
Mayan calendar at this early time
means that the hieroglyphs of the
twenty days of the month, the eight-
een months of the year, etc., had al-
ready taken form."

Doctor Spinden, who is given credit
for the solution of a mystery that
puzzled scientists for many years,
worked out a day-for-day correlation
of the Mayan and Gregorian calendars
and corroborated his findings by using
dates on monuments in ancient cities
such as Copan, Tikal and Palenque, in
connection with absolute astronomical
events. Tables have been formed
whereby Mayan dates can be trans-
ferred easily into Christian dates and
vice versa.

Told Former What to Do

"The most dramatic proof in the dis-
covery that a series of monuments at
Copan deal with an ancient congress
of astronomy in 505 A. D., the report
says. "It appears that in 502 A. D., two
monuments were set up on hills on
either side of the valley of Copan, the
western one showing clearly on the
skyline."

"These monuments are between four
and five miles apart and a person
standing before the eastern one, or at
some spot in the city on the line con-
necting the two monuments, could see
the sun set directly behind the west-
ern monument two times in the course
of the year, namely, April 9 and Sep-
tember 2 in the average Gregorian
year."

"Both of these dates are recorded
at Copan on various monuments and
they appear prominently at other
cities. They are connected with cal-
culations leading directly to the date
of the conquest and extinction. The
astronomical congress at Copan con-
firmed a common acceptance of cer-
tain features of the calendar and a
shift in the base line which involved a
concept of relativity too complicated
for easy explanation."

"The Mayan year was of 365 days,
and while the Mayan did not know
exactly how many years they knew just
how many to allow for the accumulat-
ing differences for any given number
of years."

Drifted

A party returned for three years
from Australia is pretty sure to get
out in the arctic.

Are We?

We all remember when we were
fresh, and now we are we have an
extra memory that?

At Oncoming

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table with four legs. Telephone
number L. P. 5011.

Jack Himself



Jack Dempsey called at the White
House and discussed affairs of the
nation with the president. Dempsey
wanted to know why Cocco-Sto-
vakis was not given mandate over
Abyssinia. It is rumored. Coolidge
assured Dempsey, gossip has it,
that the only thing that stood in the
way was Article X of the League of
Nations, and the two thorough dis-
cussed the league in detail.

LITTLE LESSONS IN Big Sports

GOLF

BALL IN LONG GRASS



How should a ball be played when
it lies in long thick grass?

Answered by
BOB McDONALD

Winner of the Metropolitan Open
championship, 1921 and 1923. One
of the longest drivers in the game
though using only a 12 1/2 ounce driver.

It should be played with a mashie
in most cases. There should be ab-
solutely no attempt to follow through.
Hit to the ball and let it go at that.
The important thing is to miss as
much grass as possible on the down
swing. This is accomplished by lifting
the club straighter than usual on the
back swing.

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GIRL IS RELEASED TO WED

Washington Judge Frees Young Wan-
an to Permit Her to Go on
Honeymoon.

The cell doors of the District of
Columbia Jail swung open twice for
Miss Gladia Peyton, nineteen-year-
old prisoner—once to permit her to
marry, the second time to give her
temporary freedom and a honeymoon.
Miss Peyton, a stenographer, was
sentenced to a year's imprisonment for
forgery. This did not deter Freck-
ler Ewers, her fiancé, who called by
special permission and accompanied
her to the altar. The bride party as
arranged, returned to the jail and Mrs.
Ewers went to her cell.

An hour later the bride received her
first wedding present, a court permit
to leave in custody of her attorney
when she changed her plea of guilty
to not guilty. The pair left Washing-
ton for a honeymoon in Florida.

DIRIGIBLE ANCHORED TO MAST

Shenandoah's Mooring Said by U. S.
Airman First of Kind.

The navy's big dirigible, the Shen-
andoah, was made fast to its new
mooring mast near its hangar at Lake-
hurst, N. J., in what was said to be
the first feat of its kind accom-
plished by American airman.

After drifting over Lakehurst for an
hour, the Shenandoah dropped to a
200-foot level, from where a cable was
attached to the mast and a winch
drew in the slack, bringing the for-
ward end of the bag against the steel
support.

The Shenandoah remained securely
anchored for half an hour and was
then returned to her mooring.

Clark Loomis Served in Three Years.
A clerk in the physics building at
Cornell School of Applied Science at
Ithaca, N. Y., has lost but one sec-
ond in three years. In a series of in-
ternational tests, an attempt will
be made to correct this error by one
of the professors of the university.

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D. A. R. CELEBRATES

Approximately One Hundred Washington's Birthday — Delightful and Attractive Banquet

Washington, Feb. 24. — At the February meeting of the Otsego Chapter, D. A. R., held Friday afternoon at the chapter house, the hostesses, Mrs. P. D. Whitcomb, Mrs. C. M. Clark, Mrs. Lucy Goodrich, Mrs. Emma Langdon, and Mrs. Margaret Wade, served a three-course luncheon. The tables were attractively decorated with small cherry trees and the place cards were hand-painted and small figures of Uncle Sam. During the afternoon Mrs. S. M. Flint gave a reading, "Great — Grandmother Margaret's Bread," and Miss Frances Colbeck favored the society with a solo. At the business meeting Mrs. Harrison Crippen was elected as delegate to the Continental Congress, and Mrs. John Howe, Miss Katherine McLaughlin, Mrs. Julia Hubbard, Mrs. Ray Vickers, Mrs. G. B. Crippen were elected as alternates.

Fortnightly Meeting Postponed.
The meeting of the Fortnightly club has been postponed until Tuesday evening, owing to the fact that the entertainment on the Lyceum course is scheduled for Monday evening.

Methodist Church Society to Meet.
The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. P. R. Hadrell.

Catholic Benefit Dance.
A large number attended the Catholic benefit dance held at Grange hall Thursday evening. Cards were provided for those who did not dance. Music was furnished by Richmondville orchestra. The amount cleared was \$118.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Henry Berger of Nashua, N. H., is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. A. S. Peters. — Miss Margaret O'Marah of Saint Rose's, Albany, accompanied by her roommate, Miss Mary Carmody, spent Washington's birthday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. O'Marah. — Clarence Bulson of New York was a week-end guest of his mother, Mrs. Isabella Bulson. — Harry French and sister, Mrs. Margaret Nichols, of Leslie are guests of their brother, W. H. French. — Dr. and Mrs. Umstead and son, Charles, of Tonawanda are spending a few days at their summer home here. — Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Bigalar and son, Harry, Jr., were business callers in Albany Friday. — Herbert Mooney, Newton Hamilton, and Franklin O'Marah were in Albany yesterday in attendance at the Auto show.

THEIR WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Many Friends of Hon. and Mrs. Oscar F. Lane of Schenectady Attended Reception.

Schenectady, Feb. 24. — Fully half a hundred friends attended the reception tendered Hon. Oscar F. Lane and Mrs. Lane Friday evening, February 24, in celebration of their wedding anniversary. The function was held in the Masonic hall and was in charge of Mrs. S. C. Schwachamer, matron of Schenectady chapter, O. E. S., and

Mrs. E. R. Campbell. A most enjoyable time was spent in social intercourse and games by those present. A buffet supper was served in the banquet room. When at its conclusion, a handsome arm bouquet of jonquils was presented to the bride by Miss Leona Schwachamer in her ever charming and gracious manner. Edw. E. Campbell, nephew of Mr. Lane, and James P. Friday arose to the occasion with addresses conveying the best wishes of a large circle of friends. Both speakers related anecdotes touching on various associations with Mr. Lane in the practice of law. Mr. Lane responded pleasingly to his wife and himself and created hearty laughter in reciting a few witticisms. The guests departed about midnight, wishing the couple many happy returns of the day.

Community Rally.
A community rally will be held Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, at the grange rooms in the Odd Fellows hall. Jared VanWagoner of Schoharie county will be the principal speaker. Everyone welcome.

Guests.

Miss Mildred Strait spent the Washington holiday vacation in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Banker. — Miss Frances Wilber was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Wilber for the 22nd. — Adelbert Prestia of Binghamton visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Preston, over Washington's birthday.

Bridge Club Meeting.

Miss Grace Lowell and Leo B. Bennett entertained the Bridge club Friday evening with a colonial supper served about midnight.

WEST ONEONTA PUPILS

Observe Washington's Birthday with Suitable Ceremonial.

West Oneonta, Feb. 24. — The pupils of the West Oneonta school gave an interesting Washington's day program Thursday afternoon. Piano solos were played by Miss Lillian Smith and Dorothy Miller. An exercise, "Making the American Flag," by Katherine Sheldon, Glenn Chapin, and Harlow Pickens was given. Two stories of Washington's life were read and several songs were sung by the school.

Fiesta Terpening Ill.
The teachers and pupils of the school gave a sunshine box Friday to Fiesta Terpening, who is seriously ill with rheumatism.

Sleigh Riders.
A party of young people of the Christian Endeavor society enjoyed a sleigh ride Wednesday evening, returning for supper to the parsonage. The boys of Daniel Baker's Sunday school class and several girls of Mrs. Hunt's class had a sleigh ride to the home of Mr. Baker, where games were played, following which refreshments were served by Mrs. Baker.

Locals.

Kenneth Wing has been spending several days at the home of his brother, Carl Wing, at occupancy case. — Miss Bernice Saxton of Oneonta has

been a guest of Miss Janice Taber a few days. — P. M. Pearson of West Oneonta was a recent guest at L. E. Brownson's.

Sunday Services.

At the morning service the pastor, Rev. Frank Whippley, preached the last of a series of sermons on "Prayer."

Former Pastor Dead.

Rev. James A. Ward, pastor at Oneonta, died at his late home January 18, with burial at Taber. Mr. Ward was pastor of the First Baptist church of West Oneonta and ordained by that church about thirty years ago. Rev. and Mrs. Ward were people highly respected by all who knew them.

THIRTEEN JOLLY NURSES

Enjoy Sleigh Ride to Laurens, Stopping at Home of G. W. Irish.

Laurens, Feb. 24. — A jolly company of 13 nurses of the Fox Memorial hospital, enjoyed a sleigh ride to Laurens one evening last week. After their arrival here, they were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Irish. During the evening light refreshments were served. Altogether the evening was a very happy one.

Home From School Duties.

Miss Julia Winsor, of Elizabeth, N. J., is enjoying a few days here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Winsor.

Principal and Mrs. F. J. Casey and son of Bainbridge, were visitors here over the week-end.

Coville Winsor, Herman Peaslee and Jasper Hnand, who are attending school in Bainbridge, were at their homes here for this week-end.

Miss Bertha Dorrier, a teacher in the Bainbridge high school, spent her vacation here with her parents.

In Albany Last Week.

Supervisor F. M. Hand was in Albany on business Tuesday and Wednesday.

DEATH OF AMBROSE C. PECK.

Former Meridale Farmer Passes Away at Home at Laurens.

Laurens, Feb. 24. — Ambrose C. Peck, a retired farmer, passed away at his home here Sunday afternoon shortly before 3 o'clock, from a shock which he suffered Saturday morning and from which he never rallied. The funeral services will be held from his late home Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Mr. Peck was born at Roxbury, December 18, 1847, the son of Calvin and Emeline (Hager) Peck, and most of his active life as a farmer was passed at Meridale, where he was well known. Five years ago he retired and took up his residence in Oneonta, removing to Laurens about a year since.

He is survived by a wife, four children, George C. Peck of Meridale, Frank J. Peck of Laurens, Mrs. W. E. McClintock of Kortright and Mrs. Erwin Johnson of East Meridale, one brother, Charles P. Peck of Harpersfield and two sisters, Mrs. Stratton Scott of Stamford and Mrs. Maria Dart of Roxbury. He leaves also 10 grandchildren.

Mr. Peck was a member of the First Methodist church of Oneonta, a loving and devoted husband and father, and was highly respected by all who knew him.



Easy Lessons in AUCTION BRIDGE

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ARTICLE No. 10

The popularity of Auction is largely due to two things: first, its element of unexpectedness, the fact that almost anything can happen to a hand and at the most unexpected times; second, to the fact that practically all Auction players, even the inexperienced, think they are pretty good players. For the first reason the game fascinates; for the second, it satisfies. Any discussion of a series of hands is sure to cause argument and decided differences of opinion. If it were not for this difference of opinion, however, Auction would not be so interesting. The very arguments put a "kick" into the game and prevent it from ever becoming the cut and dried, mechanical kind of game that proved the undoing of whist.

In making up the eight hands given in the preceding article, the writer purposely chose such as would justify an honest difference of opinion. Discussion adds zest to any game and intelligent, sure to be instructive. The analysis of the hands, in this article, will probably start some discussions all over again. Most of the hands are so close, that in some cases it is hard to say that one bid is sounder than another. In all of these hands, Z is the dealer. Y is his partner and A-B his opponents. For example:

Y Z
A B
(dealer)
Hand No. 1

No score. Z bids one no-trump. A passes, Y bids two hearts and B passes. What should Z now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—A
Clubs—A, 5, 2
Diamonds—A, J, 10, 8, 7, 5, 3
Spades—A, 9

The problem in this hand is: Should Z pass, bid two no-trump or three diamonds over Y's two heart bid? It should be two no-trump for the sake of its effect on Y and his subsequent bidding. Two no-trump would encourage Y to rebid his hearts if he has nothing else in his hand, whereas a three diamond bid would just as surely discourage him. After two no-trumps, the next best bid for Z is to pass and let Y try for game in hearts.

Hand No. 2
No score. Z bids one no-trump. A and Y pass and B bids two hearts. Z doubles and A bids three spades. What should Y now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—Q, 6
Clubs—A, K, 10, 9, 6, 3
Diamonds—10, 8, 2
Spades—7, 4

The problem in this hand is: Should Y bid three no-trump or four clubs? The four club bid is the sounder bid; the three no-trump bid offers the better chance for game.

Hand No. 3
Score: Y-Z, 27; A-B, 0. Z bids three diamonds. What should A now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—K, 7, 3
Clubs—None
Diamonds—K, J, 9, 6, 5
Spades—A, K, Q, 10, 7

The problem in this hand is: Should A double three diamonds or bid three spades? This hand is not so close as the first two. The writer thinks A should unquestionably double three diamonds. He is certain to defeat the contract and may not go game in spades. In case of

double, play the certainty.
Hand No. 4
Score: Y-Z, game; A-B, 6. Z bids one heart: A, two diamonds; Y, two hearts; B, two spades; and Z, three hearts. What should A now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—A, J, 7, 3
Clubs—A, K
Diamonds—Q, J, 9, 7, 4, 3
Spades—A

The problem in this hand is: Should A double three hearts or pass? To the writer it seems obligatory for A to double three hearts. If his partner does not like the double he can bid three spades or four clubs, either of which suits A. His hand is too strong to pass a three heart bid.

Hand No. 5
Score: Y-Z, 0; A-B, game and 20. Z bids one no-trump. A bids two spades, Y bids three hearts and B passes. What should Z now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—5
Clubs—A, K, J
Diamonds—A, Q, J, 10, 8, 4, 2
Spades—A, 7

The problem in this hand is: Should Z bid four diamonds, or pass and let Y try for game in hearts? A three no-trump bid with only one stopper in the spade suit would be unadvised. The better procedure here is undoubtedly to pass and try for game in hearts. Y should have about as good a hand in hearts as Z has in diamonds, and as hearts require one less trick for game they should be given the preference.

Hand No. 6
No score. Z bids one spade and A bids two hearts. What should Y now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—A, J, 10, 7, 2
Clubs—K, Q, 6
Diamonds—A, 8
Spades—J, 4, 2

The problem in this hand is: Should Y double two hearts or bid two spades? The writer prefers the double of two hearts which should produce a certain penalty while on the other hand there is no certainty of game in spades. Play the certainties always.

Hand No. 7
Score: Game all and 20 all. Z bids one no-trump. A bids two hearts, Y passes, and B bids three diamonds. What should Z now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—K, Q, 6, 3
Clubs—K, J, 5, 3
Diamonds—A, J
Spades—K, Q, 8

The problem in this hand is: Should Z pass, double three diamonds or bid three no-trump? The fact that the rubber game is in danger makes Z's best bid three no-trump. If B makes three diamonds, he will score game and rubber; therefore Z must take a chance at three no-trump. The score in this hand is the deciding factor.

Hand No. 8
No score. Z bids one spade, A and Y pass, and B bids two hearts. Z bids two spades, A bids three hearts and B passes. What should Z now bid with the following hand?

Hearts—10
Clubs—9, 7, 2
Diamonds—A, K, 9, 5
Spades—K, Q, J, 9, 5

The problem in this hand is: Should Z bid three spades or pass three hearts. This hand is not so close as some of the others and the writer thinks a three spade bid is obligatory.

Problem No. 5

Hearts—J, 10, 9, 3
Clubs—A, 6, 5
Diamonds—8, 6, 5
Spades—A, Q, 8

Hearts—5
Clubs—1, 4, 2
Diamonds—A, K, Q, J, 10, 8, 2
Spades—K, J, 5

Hearts—A, K, Q, 7, 6, 2
Clubs—9
Diamonds—9, 7
Spades—10, 9, 5, 4

The final bid was four hearts by Z. A opened the jack of diamonds and B led two more rounds, Z trumping the third round with the queen of hearts. The problem is for Z to make game against any defense. Solution in the next article.

are the only means of conveyance at present.

Moves Saturday.
Carl Bender expects to move March 1 to his farm, the former Schermerhorn place, to be vacated by Fritz Bender.

At Knapp Funeral.

Rev. F. R. Edwards officiated at the funeral of Legrand Knapp on the Outpost on Friday.

Persons.

Edward Bronson of Syracuse has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. R. H. McMurray, and other relatives here. — Miss Minnie Bender is spending a few weeks at Delhi. — Tracy Fleming, an attorney at law, is in town from Berkeley Remington, at Walton on Thursday.

DAVENPORT.

Davenport, Feb. 24. — Out of respect to the memory of the late Elbert A. Taber, a member of the board of education and for many years its president, no classes will be held in the Davenport Union school until Thursday. — Gerald Barclay, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barclay, is improving nicely following a serious operation performed some time ago by Dr. Latcher of Oneonta and Dr. Craig of this village. The little fellow's condition was considered serious at one time. — The play, "The Ladies' Circle," presented Tuesday night for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church, was well patronized, the proceeds were \$12.

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Delaware County News

ACADEMY BESTS AGGIES.

By Score of 34 to 18 Town Team Wins County Championship.

Delhi, Feb. 23. — On Thursday evening at the Delhi Opera house a crowd of basketball fans and others witnessed a good game of basketball between the Delhi Agricultural school team and D. A. Delaware academy's team was victorious by a score of 34 to 18. At this game D. A. also captured the Delaware County league championship for the year. D. A. has won nine games this year and one defeat, that being with Hobart.

Nurse for Mrs. Gleason.

Mrs. Gaylord St. John is now nurse for Mrs. William Gleason, taking the place of Mrs. Arthur Gladstone, who has gone to her new home in Gladstone Hollow, town of Andes.

Son Born in Ludlow.

News has been received here of the

birth of a son to Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Anderson of Ludlow, Mass., on Feb. 14. Valentine is suggested as an appropriate name for the infant. Rev. and Mrs. Anderson spent their early life here and attended Delaware academy. Mrs. Anderson was Miss Bernice Graham, daughter of the late H. S. Graham.

Good School Record.

During the years 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923 one hundred and fourteen students were graduated from Delaware academy and 75 of the number continued with advanced work at colleges or higher institutions of learning. Of the class of 1920, 94 per cent entered colleges.

Attends Business College.

Mabel S. McKee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Snyder, has commenced taking a course in Lowell Business college in Binghamton.

Male Holds Revival Service.

T. Leroy Muir of Andes, formerly T. M. C. A. secretary here, and now engaged in evangelistic work, lately commenced a series of revival meetings in Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Home For Vacation.

Miss Margaret C. Wilson, who is teaching at Ridgely Park, N. J., is home for a few days' vacation. Accompanying her is Miss Nellie Wilson, a teacher in the same school. Miss Mildred Brown, a teacher in Poughkeepsie, is also home for over the week-end.

Returns to Skidmore.

Miss Wilmet Orniston, who has been home on account of illness, went back to Saratoga this week, she is attending Skidmore college.

A February Shower.

Miss Ethel Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Boyd of Delhi, was given a shower Monday evening at the home of F. L. Lipp in Hancock. Miss Boyd holds a position in the Hancock bank, and her engagement to a Hancock young man was recently announced.

FAREWELL IN TREADWELL.

Forty Friends and Neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bender are present.

Treadwell, Feb. 24. — Forty neighbors and friends made Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Bender a farewell party Thursday evening. Games and a social time furnished entertainment and delicious refreshments were served. The guests presented a sum of money as a remembrance to Mr. and Mrs. Bender, who expect to leave here March 1 for Oneonta, where the former has employment and has rented a house.

Bricks For Building.

The Dairyman's league truck, which comes over each morning for milk, has not been able to make the trip since Thursday on account of the badly drifted roads. Horses and sleighs

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ANNOUNCEMENT

Oneonta Wet Wash Laundry

In addition to our Wednesday wash service, we have installed a new department equipped with the latest and most modern type of machinery to do the family ironing. All the flat pieces are completely finished, others require touching up with a hand iron and the rest are dried and neatly folded up. Each washing and ironing is done individually, therefore eliminating the marking of clothes. Why do your own washing and ironing when you can get such high quality work done for such a reasonable price?

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Costly Gems



(Portrait by Ford, From Paul Thompson.)

The above photograph is taken from a painting of Mrs. Peter George Washington society woman who is reported to have paid \$400,000 for a string of black pearls owned by Prince Yousouff. The prince paid \$12,000 duty on the gems when bringing them in this country.

Personal

Miss Ella Frazer has returned from a short visit with friends in Albany.

Wendell W. Fear of 3 Cony avenue, is in the Albany City hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. returned last evening from a visit with friends at Poukeepie.

Mrs. Lynn Roberts and Miss Myra Roberts of Schenectady were Saturday visitors in Oneonta.

Charles A. Rote of the firm of Rote & Rote left yesterday on a business trip to New York city.

Miss Anna Milford of Oneonta was guest for the week-end of Dr. and Mrs. Stanton Hendrick.

Mrs. W. H. Kuch and daughter, Josephine, of Third street, were in Albany Saturday for the day.

Mrs. L. E. Brown of this city was a guest Saturday of her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Johnson, of East Worcester.

Earle S. Host of Columbus, Ohio, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Host, 60 Ford avenue.

Miss Thelma Finn of Albany is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Genevieve Merrill, of 21 Morgan avenue, this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Fluke of Saratoga are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fluke, 28 Park street.

Frank A. Thompson of Batavia returned home Saturday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bush, 12 Union street.

Miss Sylvia Riney, a student of the State Normal, returned last evening from a short sojourn at her home in Binghamton.

Laurens Strong of Laurens was in Oneonta yesterday on his way to New York to visit his brother, Harvey, for a few weeks.

Mrs. G. W. Ingalls of 145 East street left yesterday morning for Unadilla, where her father, G. W. Gilbert, is quite seriously ill.

The Misses Corbitt Wilson and Helen Capron returned last evening to Troy, where they are students of the Russell Sage college.

Mrs. Nellie Brooks of Boston, Mass., left for home Saturday morning after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles Powers, of 222 Main street.

Miss Adelaide Gallagher, after a few days spent at her home in Oneonta, returned Sunday to resume her school work in Schenectady.

O. B. Harmon, who had been in the city in attendance at the Davis wedding, left last evening for his home at Johnson City.

Hon. G. W. Fairchild and Walter F. Burke, who had been in Oneonta for a day or two, returned Saturday evening to New York city.

Mrs. A. E. Jones, who had been visiting her mother, Mrs. Donald Watson, of 18 Maple street, returned Sunday to her home in Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allen and daughter, Hazel, of 30 Waller street, were week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. E. Tilley of Schenectady.

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In the later '80's he was actively engaged in the real estate business in Oneonta and was also a partner of Fred Wilcox in the erection of the two story brick building located on the site of the present Buick block. Mr. Reynolds dealt largely in flour and feed at that location, but later sold his interests to Ford & Rowe, and the business is now continued by A. E. Ford & Son on Market street. His family life was largely interested in the development of East End, and was one of the directors of the Oneonta Talc company. He was also one of the original local board of managers of the Oneonta State Normal school.

About 1890 Mr. Reynolds moved to Grand Rapids, Mich., and associated himself in the real estate business with Leroy Franklin, a nephew. After several successful years he discontinued his Grand Rapids holdings and removed about 1900 to Long Beach, which had ever since been his home and where he had large part in the development of the city. This activity was his to the last, and he had just completed a new block and had another under way in Long Beach. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and while in Oneonta was a member of the Masonic lodge and chapter. He was a man of upright character and fine attainments and had many friends in city and vicinity who have cordially welcomed him on the occasion of his infrequent visits to Oneonta, the last of which was about eight years ago.

who for several days had been guests of Prof. and Mrs. Arthur M. Curtis of this city, last Saturday for Ithaca, where they will be guests at the home of the former's brother, Dr. George J. Bristol, of Cornell university.

Joseph Pannano, lately foreman with the E. V. bakery, left yesterday for Gloversville, where he has purchased the business of the Gloversville City bakery and assumes possession at once. Mrs. Pannano will remain in the city for a short time longer.

Ontario friends of Miss Mary Ward formerly of this city, learn with regret of her ill health and that she is now an inmate of a hospital in Ithaca, awaiting a serious operation. All will hope for a favorable outcome and her full recovery.

Benjamin Mahany of the Association of these cities at Albany, was a guest over Sunday of his father, Samuel Mahaffy, at the family home in this city. He was a welcome caller also at the Star office, where he was cordially welcomed by his former associates in the editorial department.

MARRIAGES

Hendrick-Marston.

Willard Milton Burdick of 12 Pearl street, and Miss Josephine Belle Marston of 47 West street were united in marriage at a quiet ceremony performed at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the First Baptist parsonage, Rev. Dr. Edwin J. Farley officiating. They were attended by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Marston, Mr. and Mrs. Burdick, who are young people with many friends in the city, will reside at 12 Pearl street.

Rev. S. E. Carr Resigns.

Rev. S. E. Carr who has spent twenty-five years in the service of the Baptist Missionary convention of the state of New York, has tendered his resignation. For twelve years he has been a missionary pastor. For the rest of the time he has been a faithful and valuable service. Two or three times his salary has been raised, such time without his solicitation. The resigning of the state makes this district so large that Mr. Carr thinks it unwise to take the task.

Mr. Carr's resignation takes place at such time as the general directors may indicate.—[Walton Reporter.]

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DEATH OF ALBERT JUD

LONG PROMINENT IN ODD FELLOWSHIP AND IN MERCANTILE LIFE. LATE OF CITY

Suffering from Heart Affection Following an Attack of Acute Indigestion—His Only Son Friday Last—Funeral Arrangements Incomplete—Last Evening—Funeral Highly Respected.

Albert Judd, long prominent in the mercantile life of the city and in Odd Fellowship, passed away at his home, 116 Chestnut street, Sunday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock, after an illness dating from Friday last, when he was taken with acute indigestion while on the way from his residence to the business section, being compelled to return home. He responded to medical treatment and was thought to be well on the road to recovery when an acute attack of heart trouble developed and he passed away with scarcely a warning. He had a similar illness early in January while on a visit in Troy and was seriously ill for several days and suffered a slight attack on Wednesday last. Funeral arrangements were not completed last evening.

Mr. Judd was born in Jefferson 81 years ago, the son of the late Ezra and Mary Judd, and much of his early life was passed there. Afterward he was a resident of Binghamton and Albany. Some 35 years ago he removed to Oneonta and this place has been his home. He was in his early manhood employed by the J. & H. company and had been advanced to locomotive engineer when he retired from the company's employ and engaged first in the grocery business here. Later he conducted the Fair store and still later, after disposing of that business to Carr L. Hotaling, he established himself in the drygoods business, later adding a millinery department. This he conducted until about four years ago when he discontinued the store and engaged in the real estate business, having at one time Mr. Sherman of Otsego as a partner. More recently, the partnership having been dissolved, he has continued the business alone, having taken also the agency for the A. H. Wadley Granite company of Elmira.

The deceased, long active in Odd Fellow circles here, had always been a devoted member of the fraternity, loyal to its teachings and his brothers of the order. He had served the local lodge and canton in official places and was chaplain of the state cantonment at the time of his death.

He was also a trustee of the State Normal and he took a lively interest in its advancement and growth. He was a member of the First Methodist church of this city and his faith in and devotion to the Christian religion was one of his strong characteristics.

While not seeking prominence, he was public spirited and enterprising. He was one of the original commissioners by the city's first mayor, the late Albert Morris, and served for years and last January he was appointed to the same commission by Mayor Bolton. He was active in the formation of the Chamber of Commerce in this city and with a limited number of associates personally guaranteed the salary of the first paid executive employed by that organization.

Surviving him are the widow, Mrs. Belle Cooper Judd, to whom he was married in June, 1921, two brothers, Emory S. Judd of New Bedford, Mass., Charles Judd of Scranton, Pa., and one sister, Mrs. Walter Chase of Philadelphia, Pa.

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Miss Elizabeth Taylor Adams, debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Adams, will make her bow to Washington society this season. Her dad is chairman of the Republican National Committee.

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Setting Contested Senate Seat



Ballot counting has started in the contested senatorial elections in Texas wherein George H. Pelly claims he won over Senator Mayfield, who had the support of the Ku Klux Klan. Photo shows, left to right, W. F. Robertson of Dallas, supervisor for Pelly; Colonel E. P. Thayer of Indianapolis, general superintendent of counting; and Bob Mason of Fort Worth, Tex., supervisor for Mayfield.

IN THE LAW COURTS

How Humanity Comported Itself Last Year

More convictions for intoxication and misdemeanors last year — Less of most other offences.

Albany, Feb. 24. — A total of 51,169 persons, including 3,233 women, were convicted in courts of special sessions in New York state during 1923 as compared to 42,507, including 2,787 women during 1922. The conviction totals for last year show 15,691 for intoxication as against 19,366 the preceding year, while 37,763 were convicted last year for misdemeanors to 25,150 in 1922; post-larceny convictions last year numbering 2,446 as against 3,591, and assault convictions totalling 1,996 to 1,763 back in 1922.

The annual report on crime presented to the legislature by Secretary of State James A. Hamilton, contains many interesting sidelights. Printers as a rule showed improvement over the year before, although 18 pled matters to the extent of being convicted, yet this is 45 better than the year before. Not a single stereotypist went wrong, while one lone reporter wandered from his beat, but then a publisher also strayed, while one individual characterizing himself as a "journalist" faced the bar of justice.

There were more "bad" actors last year than in 1922, a total of 17 playing to a judge and jury, as compared to 15 the year before. Two artists visited a scene relative to court, while the lofty ideals of an aviator were shattered as he landed in the courtroom instead of in a field. Three baseball players ran foul of the law. Fifty bakers mixed something besides dough and 12 barbers did a bit of trimming outside their shops.

That there are still bartenders is revealed by the report, but the profession is either rapidly decreasing, or its members are becoming better behaved, for in place of the 130 convicted in 1922, only 9 found themselves behind a bar other than the one of polished mahogany. Bellboys to the number of six answered to the wrong call, as 75 the year before. A waiter picked something other than flowers. Nineteen brokers were convicted and one cartoonist drew a sentence rather than a picture. No less than 412 chauffeurs failed to put on their brakes before they skidded into the law.

Something besides tobacco must have gone wrong with the cigar dealers, for 14 of their number were convicted last year to three in 1922. Clerks, however, proved a bit more courteous to the demands of the law, though 224 were convicted to 413 the preceding year. The wrong sort of a man was dished up for 123 cooks, while two dancers took the wrong step, an equal number of dentists extracted something besides teeth and four detectives changed their role from the nuzzler to the pursued. Two emulsi-makers, eight dressmakers, one diamond worker and six florists did their best in keeping these professions in crime's annals.

Farmers, who have been inclined to cut up a bit during the past year or so showed down somewhat last year, and as a result only 279 were convicted in place of 411 the year before. A single golfer went into the rough.

The homeliness of the state, or at least 294 of them, went on a rampage, and were convicted, while 16 janitors received something other than tips, time loaves cooling off behind the bars.

The legal profession is represented among the convictions by 15 lawyers who were not shrewd enough to keep out of trouble. One milkman went a bit farther than watering the fluid and gave up his daily round. Thirty-two musicians played the wrong tune.

For the first time in this state radio appeared in the list of occupations of persons convicted, with a single offender. Stenographers, as a general thing, behaved in a most commendable way to their notes and only a dozen were made wrong competitors to the content of two as compared to eleven the previous year. No less than 127 waiters took the order of the court while one lone washwoman rebelled against the state of the law the wrong way and found herself convicted.

In cases of record, there were 8,700 convictions last year to 14,744 in 1922. For felony there were 297 convictions last year as against 215 the year before, for misdemeanors there were 8,403 convictions to 14,529 the year before. The total for 1923 was 15,691 convictions to 19,366 the year before.

W. F. Robertson, general superintendent, Albany, N. Y., March 1, 1924. E. P. Thayer, general superintendent, Indianapolis, Ind., March 1, 1924. Bob Mason, supervisor, Fort Worth, Tex., March 1, 1924.

REVERED DAVENPORT MAN

First A. Taber, President of the Board of Education of the Davenport Union School. He was for a number of years president of that body, resigning the position when ill health came upon him, but still retaining his place on the board. He was postmaster during the second administration of Philip H. Cleveland, and was a member of the board when Woodrow Wilson was President, continuing in that position until the time of his death. He was a member of the S. J. L. A. and the L. A. S. J. L. A.

Mr. Taber was one of the original members of the Davenport Methodist church, and was instrumental in the building of the present structure over 30 years ago. For 37 consecutive years he was superintendent of its Sunday school, and his interest in the church grew rather than diminished as the years went by.

Surviving him are his wife, a son and daughter by his first wife, Felt L. Taber, and Mrs. Austin B. Griffin, both of Albany, and one son by the second wife, Ralph S. Taber, of this village. There is also a grandchild, Mrs. Margaret Griffin.

The funeral services will be held on Wednesday, a short private prayer service at the home preceding services at the Methodist Episcopal church at 2 p. m. The pastor, Rev. E. R. D. Rogers, will officiate, assisted by Rev. R. S. Boyce of Oregon, a former pastor. Interment will be made at Fergusonville in the family plot.

It has been said that Mr. Taber was the "unsprinkler" of the village. It is certain that no other man has ever held it in higher regard or has worked it more zealously in its behalf. Every district in a large general store under the firm name of Wickham and Taber, on October 8, 1899, he took as his second wife Miss Joanna Salton of Hamilton.

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Mr. Taber was public spirited to a large degree and was always interested in anything pertaining to the welfare of the community. For eight years he served the township of Davenport as a supervisor and his record in that capacity was able and honorable. He was much interested in pub-

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FIFTY YEARS MARRIED

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Spencer of Cherry Street celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Today is the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Spencer of Cherry street and their friends in the city will extend to them heartfelt congratulations and wishes for the recurrence of many more anniversaries. The ceremony was solemnized yesterday at the Spencer home by the children and grandchildren of the esteemed couple. All of them were fortunately able to be present for the interesting and important affair.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Spencer are descended from Pioneer American families. Mr. Spencer's grandfather, whose name was Anna O. Babitt, was born at Schuylers Lake and moved to Hartwick when quite young. Her ancestors were of French descent and on her father's side were for generations back ministers of the gospel down to her grandfather, who was a carriage manufacturer.

Mr. Spencer's ancestors came over on the Mayflower and many of them were participants in the American Revolution. Mr. Spencer was born in Ontario nearly 71 years ago in a log cabin on the old Coon Wolf place, where now stands Randall's lunch room on Chestnut street. He has always resided in Ontario, where he was prominent in the meat business for 25 years. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer were united in marriage at Cherry street 45 years ago, residing for some time in a house on the site of their present fine residence.

To them have been born five children, Andrew, who died at the age of 17; Arthur, residing at home; Thurza, who died 13 years ago and was the first wife of Fred Bouton; Edna, now Mrs. N. E. Jackson of Birmingham; and V. L. E., the wife of Howard Ackart of 6 Cherry street, this city. There are four grandchildren, Arthur and Gerald Bouton, who have been faithfully cared for by their grandparents since the death of their mother; Margaret Jackson and Thurza Jane Ackart.

To Mr. and Mrs. Spencer, who have devoted their lives to rearing of this splendid family, the congratulations of many friends will be extended upon this happy occasion.

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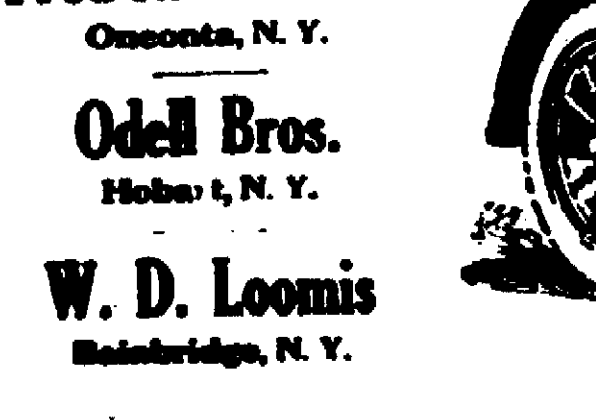
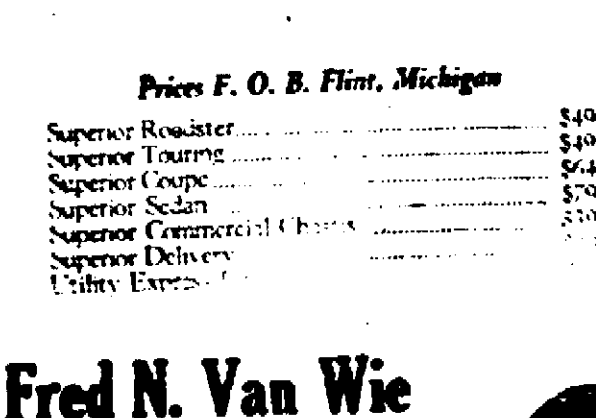
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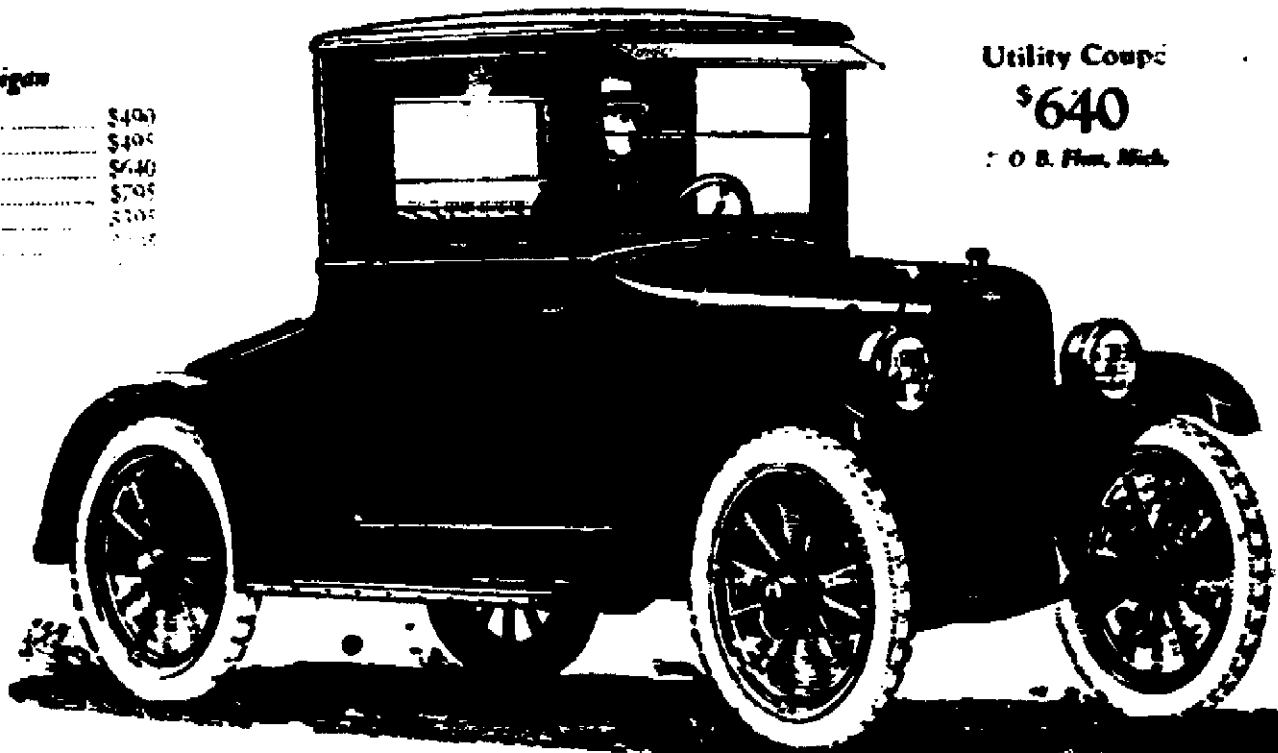
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DAN DOBB SAYS

Boston, the seat of learning, will have a Ford plant, which will make some seats of learning.

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Chinese general baptized 1,100 soldiers to celebrate his wedding. The soldiers hope he never gets a divorce.

Tex Rickard loses his title as world champion fight promoter. Congress promotes boxer fights than Rickard.

They are reading the papers found in Tut's tomb. We can hardly wait to learn the price of some of these days.

Perfume production is increasing. Maybe more is being shipped to Washington for investigations.

Why waste time trying to set the world afire? It is too green to burn.

"There are not so many bootleggers," says an officer. Just the same, there are not so few.

The height of something is measured by the number of wheels on a driver.

Isn't it time Walter Camp picked his All-American Teapot Team?

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